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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING
CONFIGURATION DATA FOR A MULTI-
CELL COMPUTER SYSTEM**

Examiner: N. C. Patel

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits this response and requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections in view of the remarks contained herein.

No amendments to the Claims are presented herein. For the Examiner's convenience a listing of claims is provided beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.